

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of a proposed settlement pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) concerning the Chemical Handling Corporation Site, Jefferson County, Colorado (the "Site"). Under the Agreement and Covenant Not to Sue (Agreement), Broomfield Investment Group, LLC and 1031-B Land Corporation will pay \$5,000 to the United States and perform various improvements to the property at the Site.

DATES: Comments will be received until June 28, 1999.

ADDRESSES: The Agreement is available for public inspection at the EPA Superfund Records Center, 999 18th Street, 5th Floor, North Tower, Denver, Colorado. Comments should be addressed to Carol Pokorny, Technical Enforcement Program, (8ENF-T), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 999 18th Street, Suite 500, Denver, Colorado, (80202-2466, and should reference the Chemical Handling Corporation Site Agreement and Covenant Not to Sue, EPA Docket No. CERCLA-VIII-99-10. Copies of the agreement may be obtained from the Superfund Records Center at the address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sheldon Muller, Legal Enforcement Program, at 303/312-6916.

Dated May 17, 1999.

Michael T. Risner,

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Office of Enforcement, Compliance and
Environmental Justice, Region VIII.*

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6350-6]

Proposed CERCLA Administrative Cost Recovery Settlement; Michigan Avenue Dump Site

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given of a proposed administrative settlement for

recovery of past response costs concerning the Michigan Avenue Dump Site in Canton, Michigan with the following settling parties: General Motors Corporation, Chrysler Corporation, Dow Chemical Company, and Ford Motor Company. The settlement requires the settling parties to pay \$23,676.35 to the Hazardous Substance Superfund. The settlement includes a covenant not to sue the settling parties pursuant to section 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607(a). The Attorney General of the United States approved this settlement on April 21, 1999. For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this document, the Agency will receive written comments relating to the settlement. The Agency will consider all comments received and may modify or withdraw its consent to the settlement if comments received disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. The Agency's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at U.S. EPA, Region 5, Records Center, 7th Floor, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before June 28, 1999.

ADDRESSES: The proposed settlement is available for public inspection at U.S. EPA, Region 5, Records Center, 7th Floor, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. A copy of the proposed settlement may be obtained from Cynthia Kawakami, Associate Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA, 77 West Jackson Boulevard (C-14J), Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312) 886-0564. Comments should reference the Michigan Avenue Dump Site and EPA Docket No. V-W-99-C-538 and should be addressed to Cynthia Kawakami, Associate Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA, 77 West Jackson Boulevard (C-14J), Chicago, Illinois 60604.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cynthia Kawakami, Associate Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA, 77 West Jackson Boulevard (C-14J), Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312) 886-0564.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6349-6]

Clean Water Act Class II: Proposed Administrative Penalty Assessment and Opportunity to Comment Regarding Alliance Water Resources, Inc.

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of proposed administrative penalty assessment and opportunity to comment regarding Alliance Water Resources, Inc.

SUMMARY: EPA is providing notice of opportunity to comment on the proposed assessment of an administrative penalty against Alliance Water Resources, Inc. Under 33 U.S.C. 1319(g), EPA is authorized to issue orders assessing administrative penalties for violations of the Act. EPA may issue such orders after filing a Complaint commencing, a Class II penalty proceeding. EPA provides public notice of the proposed assessment pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 1319(g)(4)(A).

Class II proceedings are conducted under EPA's Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing the Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties and the Revocation or Suspension of Permits, 40 CFR part 22. The procedures by which the public may submit written comments on a proposed Class II order or participate in a Class II proceeding, and the procedures by which a respondent may request a hearing, are set forth in the Consolidated Rules. The deadline for submitting public comment on a proposed Class II order in thirty (30) days after issuance of public notice.

On May 11, 1999, EPA commenced the following Class II proceeding for the assessment of penalties by filing with the Regional Hearing Clerk, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region VII, 726 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas 66101, (913) 551-7630, the following complaint: In the Matter of the Alliance Water Resources, Inc.; EPA Docket No. CWA-7-99-0011.

The Complaint proposes a penalty of Fifty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$56,700) for the discharge of sludge and other solids to waters of the U.S. in violation of Sections 301(a) and 402 of the Clean Water Act.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Persons wishing to receive a copy of EPA's Consolidated Rules, review the Complaint or other documents filed in this proceeding, comment upon the proposed penalty assessment, or